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- 25X1A 1. In November 1950 the Kwangtung-Kwangsi Column, consisting of nine infantry regiments and one artillery regiment, was disposed in Nanhai, Panyu, Chungshan, Hsunte, Hsinhui, Tungkuan, and Paoan Hsien. The column was to be reorganized as a training division for Chinese Communist troops in Kwangtung, but no reorganization had begun.
2. TSENG Sheng, commander of the Kwangtung-Kwangsi Column, is also the coastal defense commander of the Kwangtung Military District. The coastal patrol fleet on the Pearl River includes the following gunboats: HSIEN FEI (先峰), FEN TOU (奮鬥), CHIANG HU (江虎), KAO MING (高明), and CHIEHFAI's 1 to 7.
- 25X1A 3. [redacted] the following units of the Kwangtung-Kwangsi Column were stationed in the vicinity of Macao: the 2 Regiment under HUANG Pu (黃布), the 1 Regiment under HUANG Kuang-p'ing (黃光平), the Independent Artillery Regiment under LIU Chang (劉章), and two battalions of the 5 Regiment.
- 25X1A 4. Chinese Communist troops in the Canton-Hong Kong area [redacted] were stationed as follows:
- 500 men of the 2 Battalion, 390 Regiment, 130 Division, in Nant'ou (113-56, 22-31), Teksinchieh (113-59, 22-32), Chihwan (114-08, 22-10), and Wusu (113-32, 23-14).
 - 200 men of the 2 Regiment, Kwangtung-Kwangsi Column at Shat'ouchiao (114-14, 22-32) and Luhutsum.
 - 250 men of the Paoan Public Safety Bureau at Nant'ou.
 - 300 men of the Shapaoshan Police Bureau at Tsaimu, Shengchuan, and Shangshatou.
 - 300 men of the Kwangtung Provincial Tax Regiment (sic) in Huangpeiling, Shenchuan, and Lufeng.

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5. There are 20 Japanese gunners with each Communist artillery battalion in Canton, and 10 Japanese machine gunners with each infantry battalion. In addition, Japanese sanitation officers are attached to these units.

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